

Appl. No. 09/915,850
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Reply to Office action of September 10, 2004

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/915,850
Applicant : Mamoru Higashimura et al.
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Title : IMAGE RECORDING AND REPRODUCING

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Docket No. : 33828
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AMENDMENT "A"

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated September 10, 2004 (paper no. 07). The three month period for responding to the Office action expired on December 10, 2004. Accordingly applicant respectfully requests and petitions that the response date be extended, 2 months, to February 10, 2005. A check for the \$450.00 extension of time fee is enclosed.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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